

MISS MCCORMICK MAY NOT BE WED. UNTIL NEXT APRIL

Mother and Father Expected
to Compromise—Girl of
Age Then.

ALL TURNED HIM DOWN.

New Petition to Be Virtual Re-
quest for Injunction Against
Marriage.

CHICAGO, June 2.—Mrs. Edith Rockefeller McCormick's sudden decision not to file the petition asking that a restraining order be issued against the marriage of Mathilde McCormick to Max Oser is said to be a move to postpone the issue for a short time. Pending a search for further legal support for the court action desired by Mrs. McCormick her attorneys are said to have been instructed to learn what concessions Mr. McCormick will make and to dicker with his lawyer to that end.

Since Mathilde will be eighteen years old and of legal age April 8, 1923, it is thought that Mr. McCormick may agree to forbid the marriage until after that time when Mathilde will be free from the control of either her mother or father.

If Mr. McCormick agrees to take this action it is thought that his former wife will withdraw her court action to prevent the marriage since a postponement until after that date would be as she could hope to obtain even if she were successful.

Mathilde McCormick is only one of several American heiresses whose fortunes have been sought by Max Oser, Swiss riding master, Charles S. Cutting, attorney for Mrs. Edith Rockefeller McCormick, the girl's mother, declared to-day.

According to Mr. Cutting, several other rich American girls have been the targets of Oser's attentions, but have eluded his fortune-hunting wiles. The seventeen-year-old granddaughter of John D. Rockefeller, Mr. Cutting says, was the first to succumb to the extent of promising to marry him.

"I understand this is not the first time Oser has tried to marry a rich American girl," said Mr. Cutting. He seems to have tried before to make use of the opportunities afforded by the fact that many society people were members of his riding school.

"He evidently thinks now that he has succeeded, for he has sold his riding school. His other means of livelihood seems to be \$8,000 in cash and an assured income of \$100 a month. This would hardly be sufficient to support Miss McCormick, and makes it plain that he is counting on her money to maintain them both."

Convinced that Oser is a fortune-hunter whose sole object in marrying Miss McCormick is to attach himself to the fortune she may inherit from John D. Rockefeller, the attorney said, Mrs. McCormick considered it her duty as a mother to carry her fight to the Probate Court.

**OSER KIN TO AID
MRS. MCCORMICK**

Cut Off Money, He Says,
and See How Long He
Loves Mathilde.

CHICAGO, June 2.—Emil Burge, Chicago cousin of Max Oser, said to-day he was ready to aid Mrs. McCormick in the battle in Probate Court she has waged on her divorced husband, Harold F. McCormick, Mathilde's guardian, who favors the marriage.

"If she's looking for evidence to induce the court to restrain McCormick from allowing the marriage of Max and Mathilde, I'll give her plenty," he said.

"Let Mathilde's relatives cut off her inheritance and allowance and see how much longer Max loves her."

Cousin Emil laughed when he told of Max's "spirited horses." "To read what he says to the newspapers, you'd think he had a string of horses like Morvich, Man o' War and Dan Patch," he said. "But you should see 'em."

The cousin said it was altogether unnecessary for Charles Cutting, attorney for Mrs. McCormick, to search Europe for evidence against Oser. "I'll advise him that I'll be a most willing witness," he said.

**WON'T HAVE BOYS
IN HIS TOWN SEE
GIRLS IN KNICKERS**

Women and Ministers Pro-
test, but Mayor Sticks
to Morality Ruling.

TRAVERSE CITY, Mich., June 2. Orders from Mayor Swanton directing the arrest of any woman or girl appearing on the streets here wearing knickerbockers will stand despite the storm of protest that have been occasioned.

The Mayor has been criticized by women's clubs and pastors, who declared his order was too drastic. In explaining his stand, the Mayor said:

"The morals of the present generation of boys are assailed and I propose to see that they no longer are tempted by immoral dress."

His order will apply to tourists as well as local residents, the Mayor announced.

Who Is The Most Freckled Boy Under 12 Years of Age



GEORGE WIDDEN, WIREWORLD.
This fifteen-year-old boy of No. 1193 Third Avenue, took first prize for the most freckles at the May party of Thomas M. Farley, Democratic leader of the 14th Assembly District.

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Queens
Bronx
Richmond?**

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Boy of each
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name, address and
number of school.

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Will Appear on Monday
Nights, Bronx on Tues-
day Nights, Queens on
Wednesday Nights,
Brooklyn on Thursday
Nights and Richmond on
Friday Nights—Photo-
graphs Will Be Received
Until June 15.

POETESS ASKING \$15,000 ALIMONY FROM PUBLISHER

Mrs. Beulah Field Wood
Wishes Separation Agree-
for \$3,600 a Year Set Aside.

Mrs. Beulah Field Wood, authoress and relative of the poet, Eugene Field, appeared before Justice Wasservogel in Supreme Court to-day on a motion for \$15,000 a year alimony from her husband, Gilbert C. Wood, publisher, who lives at Garden City, L. I.

Mrs. Wood also requests the court to reverse a separation agreement entered into between herself and her husband on Nov. 1, 1920, whereby she agreed to relinquish the custody of their two children, and was to receive \$3,600 a year alimony. She also asks \$5,000 counsel fees.

Counsel for Wood opposed the motion on the ground that the separation agreement between the couple was in force, but Charles E. LeBarrier, attorney for Mrs. Wood, declared the agreement was off as one paragraph provided that the agreement shall be void if the marriage is dissolved.

Mrs. Wood has instituted suit for separation on grounds of cruel treatment and desertion.

Mrs. Wood does not ask for the custody of her fifteen-year-old daughter, Beulah, who is attending a fashionable boarding school, but she does ask the court to award to her, Gilbert, Jr., eight years old.

Mrs. Wood lives in Greenwich Village and recently published a book of lyric verse, "The Silver Pool."

Justice Wasservogel reserved decision on the motion.

GUARDIAN NAMED FOR RICH WOMAN

Mrs. Duncan's Fortune Had
Dwindled by \$50,000 When
Friends Step In.

(Special to The Evening World.)
MT. VERNON, N. Y., June 2.—Geo. Allen Ingraham of Paterson, N. J., it was announced to-day, has been named as a committee to look after Mrs. Gertrude Duncan, aged wealthy resident of Mt. Vernon, and care for her estate. The appointment was made by Justice Morschauer, following a report of a jury and commissioner.

Mrs. Duncan was for many years socially prominent and active in works of charity and mercy. During the hearing it was brought out that following her acquaintance with one William F. Turner, a stock promoter, her habits and mode of living changed materially. Mrs. Duncan became something of a derelict and her friends and relatives took the matter up legally. Mills & Nanry were retained to represent the petitioners in a request that a committee be named and the evidence was heard before a Sheriff's Jury with Attorney J. D. Toomey acting as Commissioner.

Mrs. Duncan's estate was estimated at more than \$800,000. According to the evidence she had been induced to invest in enterprises to the extent of more than \$50,000 in a period of three years. During this time Mrs. Duncan denied herself the ordinary comforts of life.

RIVERSIDE DRIVE TENANTS BEAT BIG INCREASE IN RENT

176 Families Win Test Case
But Agree to 35 Per
Cent. Raise.

The Appellate Division of the Supreme Court to-day upheld tenants in an action for increased rent in two large apartment houses covering the blocks fronting on Riverside Drive, between 141st and 142nd Streets.

There are 176 tenants in these buildings. One hundred and four refused to sign new leases at the behest of representatives of the Alameda Holding Corporation, which owns the buildings. A test suit was brought by Leo F. Conroy and fourteen other tenants.

In the Municipal Court the landlord won. In the Appellate Term it was decided that the landlord's demands were excessive, but an increase of 35 per cent., which the tenants were willing to pay, was allowed.

The Appellate Division to-day sets forth that it allows the 25 per cent. only because the tenants have expressed a willingness to pay it and denies the landlord's appeal from the judgment of the Appellate Term.

RED-HEADS HANDICAPPED IN FRECKLES CONTEST

Washington Judges Plan Penalties
to Towheads.

WASHINGTON, June 2.—Advisability of handicapping red-headed boys in the freckles contest being staged by the Washington Daily News was considered to-day. A local physician told the News that red-headed boys have the advantage, because their skin takes on a pigment color more rapidly than others. Pigment color means freckles, he said. A handicap of six freckles to the inch between the nose and neck was suggested.

Girls have been barred from the contest for fear the wrath of mothers who do not want the beauty of their daughters marred through the raising of freckles.

MISS LOGUE'S DEATH NOT DUE TO DOCTOR

He Admits He Gave Her Toothache
Remedy—Jury Acquits.

CAMBRIDGE, Mass., June 2.—Dr. Michael M. Stevens was acquitted to-day of the charge of manslaughter brought against him because of the death of Miss Grace Logue, his office assistant, Christmas morning.

Miss Logue was found to have died of an overdose of poison. Dr. Stevens testified that he gave her two doses of a drug because she had been suffering from an ulcerated tooth. He disclaimed any knowledge of a vial of poison found on a shelf near the body in his office.

In his charge Judge Brown said the question before the jury was to determine whether the defendant gave the girl too large a dose or did not give her proper care afterward. The jury was out only twenty minutes.

MAY HAVE AN EMBALMERS' UNION

William F. Kadioub, representing the American Federation of Labor arrived in Jersey City to-day for the purpose, it was stated, of organizing the embalmers of Hudson County into a union. At first they have been found in Hudson County, unions of the undertakers, gravediggers and coach and hearse drivers.

M'ADOO'S BRIDE MAY LOSE ALIMONY BY HER MARRIAGE

Armour Ferguson Wants to
Stop Paying, Now That
She Is Wed.

Supreme Court Justice Wasservogel reserved decision to-day on the motion of Armour Ferguson to have the court annul alimony he is compelled to pay his wife under the decree of absolute divorce granted her last November. Although the amount of alimony was not made public, it is understood to be \$5,000 a year.

In asking that the alimony award be set aside, Ferguson's counsel called the court's attention to the fact that Mrs. Ferguson was married to William G. McAdoo, Jr., in the Municipal Building May 22, and now is on her honeymoon. Counsel for the former Mrs. Ferguson objected to the motion on the grounds that Ferguson himself was in court with "unclean hands."

He remarried in Connecticut three days prior to his divorced wife's wedding to young McAdoo.

The former Mrs. Ferguson was Miss Molly Tackaberry of England, an artist. She and Ferguson met in 1913 at an art school in Lexington Avenue. Miss Tackaberry was a Roman Catholic and the marriage was performed in February, 1914, at the home of the bride's aunt, Mrs. Imre Josika Herzog, No. 25 West 10th Street.

They went to live with Ferguson's mother at her country home, The Monastery, at Huntington, L. I., one of the show places of the North Shore. In the winter the Fergusons went to Palm Beach, where Ferguson took up automobile racing as a sport and won several important races.

The name of the co-respondent in the Fergusons' divorce was not given. She was described merely as an "unknown woman." The scene of her alleged misconduct with Ferguson was a houseboat owned by his mother.

COURT DENIES CATROW PLEA

Distilling Co., Petition to
Quash Indictment
Also Denied.

Judge A. N. Hand in the Federal District Court this afternoon denied a motion made by former Judge Nash Rockwood for permission to file a plea in abatement to the indictment of Col. Herbert G. Catrow, former Assistant New York State Probation Director, charged with conspiring with others to defraud the Government by issuing withdrawal permits for 1,000 cases of liquor.

The Hill & Hill Distilling Co., Inc., also indicted, argued through Judge Rockwood for a quashing of the indictment, claiming that the corporation was described in the instrument as a Kentucky corporation, whereas it was organized in Delaware in 1918.

The court held that the corporation had already pleaded to the indictment and so could not be considered at the present time as not involved.

SAW VALENTINO IN SILK PAJAMAS ON HONEYMOON

Woman Witness at Bigamy
Hearing Tells of His Life
With Miss Hudnut.

LOS ANGELES, June 2.—Details of Rodolph Valentino's interrupted honeymoon with Wilfred Hudnut at Palm Springs were to be introduced by the prosecution in his bigamy hearing to-day.

Valentino sat nervously, smiling and dropping aside remarks. His former wife, Jean Ackler, dainty, bob-haired and vivacious, drew more attention than he did.

Testimony that Valentino appeared out of doors in pajamas has aroused the defense. It is admitted that the star appeared in clothing resembling night wear, but it will be contended that this was "Chinese clothing," made necessary by the heat.

Carroll Lynch, Deputy Sheriff of Palm Springs, told of seeing the couple living in a cottage there. Other witnesses, including Indian servants at the Valentino cottage, substantiated Lynch's testimony.

Testimony of Mrs. Rauldo Lugo and her daughter, Lena, who care for bungalows at Palm Springs, a desert resort which is popular as a retiring place for motion picture people, furnished the most exciting testimony thus far. They described Valentino's alleged appearance in "pajamas" or, as the defense says, "Chinese Costume."

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"FIFI" WIDENER'S HUSBAND IS FINED

Carter Leidy Convicted of Being
Drunk, Held on Other
Charges.

BERWICK, Pa., June 2.—Arraigned before Chief Burgess Kitchen on charges of drunkenness and disorderly conduct, largely of two lanterns and a flag and operating his auto while intoxicated, Carter Leidy paid a fine of \$13.20 on the first charge and was held under \$800 bail on the other charges.

Leidy is the socially prominent Philadelphia whoseelopment with "Fifi" Widener, daughter of Joseph Widener, created a sensation in society circles, and subsequently came here to do overalls and learn the steel business from the ground up.

"The police assert Leidy drove his car up to the 'silent' traffic policeman in Market Street early Wednesday, untasted the red warning lantern and flung it into the river. Leidy offered \$100 to pay for damages done to borough property, and the Burgess was inclined to accept the offer. Councilmen wouldn't permit it. President Pealer declaring Council wouldn't even consider the proposition at a meeting."

GIRL, LACKING BIRTH CERTIFICATE, CAN'T WED

Born in Newark, She Wants to Be
Married in Germany.

Miss Ernestine Von Zuercher probably will not be married next Sunday in Cologne, Germany, despite her appeal to the Newark police and the effort on their part to help her out. She says she was born in Newark. Under the German law she must produce her birth and baptismal certificates.

The Newark police have been able to find the baptismal papers but not the birth certificate. She also asked them to find her parents, but they have been unable to do this.

SEEKS FRECKLE TITLE HELD BY NEW YORKER

Ohio Boy Sends Defy Here in
Letter.

CLEVELAND, O., June 2.—Wilbur "Speck" Mitchell, fourteen, to-day threw his hat into the ring as a contender against George Widden, New York, for the American freckle championship.

"I wrote George a letter to-day," the "speck" said, "telling him he's not got a chance. Us Ohio kids is the berries when it comes to raisin' specks. You can't tell whether I got a million or just one big one all over."

"I said he should send the 'show up' wouldn't he for freckles on the face only."

BAPTIST PARSON WINS WEDDING RACE, 15 SECONDS

Five Entries in Contest
for Quickest Completed
Ceremony.

KNOXVILLE, Tenn., June 2.—Two Baptist ministers and three Methodist ministers competed here yesterday in a contest to determine who could tie the speediest marriage knot, and the Baptists won.

The Rev. R. Pedrogo pronounced Ernest Messer and Ruby Ferguson man and wife in 15 seconds. The Rev. N. E. Miller, who was second, required 16 seconds for his pair. The time of the Methodists was not taken as they were too far outdistanced. One, however, said he was entitled to a handicap as his pair were deaf mutes.

County Clerk Aaron W. Edgerton was timekeeper. As the clock struck twelve, he shouted "begin," and all the ceremonies began.

Miss Katherine Van R. Crosby To Become Bride of John Gregory



MISS K. V. R. CROSBY.
Miss Katherine Van Rensselaer Crosby, daughter of Mrs. Frederick Van Schoonhoven Crosby of No. 103 East 37th Street, will on June 7 be-

come the bride of John Gregory, whose home is also in New York. The wedding will take place in the Madison Avenue Presbyterian Church.

Princess Marie Will Carry Out Ancient Serbian Traditions in Marriage to Ferdinand Next Week

Roumanian Bride of King Will Carry Wine,
Bread and Clothing for Herself and
Husband at Ceremony.

BUCHAREST, Roumania, June 2 (Associated Press).—The entire Roumanian royal family will travel in state to Belgrade early next week for the wedding of Princess Marie of Roumania to King Alexander of Yugo-Slavia.

Arriving at Save Quay in Belgrade, the Royal Party will be received by King Alexander and the Mayor of the city, who will present King Ferdinand of Roumania with a golden tray bearing bread and salt as a pledge of Slav amity and hospitality. The wedding ceremony will take place in the cathedral at 11 o'clock Thursday morning.

All the Serbian traditions and superstitions will be scrupulously observed in connection with the wedding. The bride will not cross the threshold of her future home until she is married. On entering her new abode she will carry a loaf of bread and a jug of wine as symbols of joy and plenty which she brings the King. Under the other arm she will carry articles of clothing for herself and her husband. According to the Serbian custom the bride must supply the husband with all his raiment.

The new queen will then kiss a male child in observance of the custom intended to insure her first-born being a son.

The honeymoon of Alexander and Marie will be spent at one of the royal castles of Yugo-Slavia.

Princess Marie is receiving hundreds of costly and quaint gifts. Among the latest presents was a flock of rams with golden horns from her Albanian admirers. Another was a Bible, written in letters of gold, from Roumanian peasants. Queen Marie has presented her daughter with an exquisite set of furniture of Byzantine design, embossed by herself in flowers and gold.

ASKS LEGISLATURE TO SEE IF HARVARD PLANS TO BAR JEWS

Dean Denies Discrimination
in Attempt to Limit
Enrollment.

BOSTON, June 2.—An order calling for investigation by a legislative commission of reports that Harvard University may discriminate against students of the Jewish race was introduced in the Legislature here to-day.

Representative George Pearl Webster of Roxford, Progressive leader of the House, introduced an order calling for appointment of a special Recess Commission composed of two members of the Senate and three from the House to investigate "alleged or proposed discrimination against persons of the Jewish race at Harvard."

The order provides that the commission would make recommendations to the Legislature to insure all students, irrespective of race or nationality, equal right and opportunity in Harvard.

Harvard operates under a State charter granted in early colonial days. Reports that Harvard was considering limitation of enrollment started when a statement was issued that the university was faced with the necessity of limiting the number of students because of lack of facilities. The part which caused such a furor said: "It is natural that such widespread discussion going on there should be talk about the proposition of Jews at the college."

College officials pointed out that this passage has been misinterpreted and that in mentioning Jews no discrimination was implied.

MORE WOMEN THAN MEN IN ALBANY BY 4,280

Men Lead in Marriages, Women
Ahead in Divorces.

WASHINGTON, June 2.—The Commerce Department announced to-day that, according to the 1920 Census, the population of Albany, N. Y., 113,314, comprised 41,537 males fifteen years of age and over, of whom 21,024, or 50.1 per cent., were married; and 46,117 females above the same age limit, of whom 22,539, or 48.9 per cent., were married.

There were in the population of Albany on the census date 2,331 widowers, 6,314 widows, 159 divorced men and 175 divorced women. The population fifty-five years of age and over included 2,269 single men and 2,313 single women.

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unexpected goodness
to everything on which
it is used. So does
Heins Olive Oil. They
are companions in
excellence.

HEINZ
PURE VINEGARS

NINE MEN INDICTED ON BOOZE CHARGE; HAD GINGER ALE

Somewhere Between Canada
and Havana Pier Whiskey
Changed to Soft Stuff.

Nine men, including two former Prohibition agents, a Custom House broker and a Custom House truckman, were to-day indicted by the Federal Grand Jury, charged with conspiring to transport booze from Canada to the United States. The specific complaint is that on April 11 they brought into this city a "load" of Canadian Club whiskey, under bond, for transshipment to Havana and that between the train and the Ward Line steamer, which was to carry the cargo to Cuba, bottles of ginger ale were substituted for the bottles of whiskey, which were packed in 160 barrels.

The men indicted are Roy E. Robinson, a Custom House broker, No. 7 Water Street; George A. Robinson, his brother, a Custom House truckman, with offices at No. 11 Moore Street; four of his drivers, John Aquira, Morris Sender, George Rosenthal and Harry Fagan; Harry E. Mead and William F. Walsh, former Prohibition agents, and Bernard Schultz, of whom no description is given.

According to Assistant Federal District Attorney Lemon, the alleged conspirators had received a permit for the transportation of the liquor through this country on its way to Havana, which was legal at the time but is no longer so. The liquor, he said, was taken from the freight car at the St. John's Park Station of the New York Central and placed on the Robinson trucks and carried to the pier of the Ward Steamship Line.

While the barrels were being transferred to the steamer one of them dropped and was smashed, as were a number of bottles of ginger ale. No whiskey was found in the barrels.

A switch had been made somewhere and the Canadian Club had been distributed, and if it hadn't been for the accident the ginger ale would have gone on to Havana, with no one but the conspirators being the wiser.

"DANCING JAP" HELD ON FORGERY CHARGE

Said to Have Practiced Signature
of Woman Thief Perfect.

Arthur Kondo, former Japanese butler of Mrs. Grace Horton Raynor, of No. 159 West 56th Street, was held in \$2,500 bail on a charge of forgery this morning, in the West Side Court. The specific charge was passing a forged check for \$150 upon the United States Mortgage Trust Company. Other checks aggregated \$171, it was said.

Mrs. Raynor, testifying the signature was not hers, expressed surprise at the cleverness of the forger. Kondo had been paid by check and thus obtained her signature. The police say he persevered, in accordance with the old copy book rule that practice makes perfect.

The police said that Kondo was known in the dance halls about Columbus Circle as the Dancing Jap.

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